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Subject: 1/14/2021 Letter by FOIA groups to Congress -- EPA is named.

Attachments: Envtl Groups Ltr Requesting FOIA Reform 01.14.21 .pdf

Importance: High

Hi Elise and Wendy – see attached letter that CBD, Sierra Club and other sent to various Senate and House Chairs regarding proposals for FOIA reform. Significantly, they identify FOIA disclosure delays at DOI, EPA and other agencies during the Trump Administration as the grounds for their proposals. They identify two matters at EPA: one appears to be fully resolved regarding Pruitt records but the other identifies EPA's conduct in litigation in late 2020 (request by CBD pertaining to discussions with CropLife and industry groups).

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